

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 10/593,535  
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Applicant: Toshiharu TAKAYAMA  
Group Art Unit: 2818  
Examiner: David J. Goodwin  
Title: ELECTRONIC COMPONENT  
Attorney Docket: 8957-000007/NP

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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 25, 2010, and in conjunction with Applicant's Request for Continued Examination, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.